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Sarah Hamilton a 16 years old girl stood outside her new school. She wore black jeans, a simple white t-shirt and a grey jumper. Her curly bronze colored hair fell loosely over her shoulders and was caught in the wind. Her big green eyes shone of joy because she finally was getting away from her old troubled life and was beginning to start a new one – which hopefully was a bit better than what she was used to. She shook her foot impatiently, while the nervousness got sweat on her forehead. Sarah's thoughts wandered. Would they accept her as whom she was? Would she even get any friends? Or would everything be as terrible as at the old school?

Suddenly Sarah's thoughts were interrupted by a nice voice. Sarah turned around and saw a pretty blonde-haired girl with a kind smile. The girl gave her hand to say hello.

"I'm Lucy, and I'm here to show you around the boarding school." she said

Sarah shyly took her hand and gently gave it a squeeze.

"Sarah."

"Do you want me to show you around the school now?" Lucy asked, still smiling kindly and fixing her hair.

"Yeah, that would be great," Sarah replied with a smile.

"Do you want some help with that?" Lucy asked, while pointing at one of Sarah's suitcases.

"Do you mind?"

"No, not at all," Lucy said warmly.

The boarding school was just as big as it looked from the outside. It was a tall building with white walls decorated with paintings and other things, long halls, a big dining hall, nice bathrooms and modern classrooms. The rooms were a great size, not too big and not too small. In the room were a bed, a table, a chair and a chest of drawers. Lucy introduced Sarah to some of the other students, whom also were Lucy's friends. Sarah tried hard to remember each of their names.

"I'm going to stop by my room before dinner. Do you think you can find the way to the dining hall on your own?" Lucy asked while smiling.

Sarah nodded and Lucy took off. Sarah looked at her new room. It looked quite boring, but she was sure she could make it her own. She put her clothes in the chest of drawers and afterwards she decided to try to find the way to the dining hall. She left her room and went out of the main door into the yard. She was going on a small path, which were surrounded by bushes and trees that led to the dining hall. Although Sarah couldn't see or hear anyone around her she felt watched. She turned around and everything went black.

"Where am I?" she asked quietly. "You are in a hospital, dear child." Answered a nice voice.

"But why? I'm all right." She disapproved her. "Oh. You should see your legs. You have a broken foot. And you also got a powerful punch to the head." Said a nurse and shook her head. "What happened to me?" Said Sarah confused.

"I told you. You got a punch in your head so you fell over your own legs and you broke your foot"

"That sounds very seriously."

"Oh, it is" she said loudly. Sudden sharp tone in nurse's voice surprised her.

"I remember a strange feeling that someone is watching me. And then everything went black." The fear showed up on Sarah's face.

"Someone wants to kill me. Or just hurt me. I don't know why. I didn't do anything bad here. Not even there where I lived before."

She began to talk with herself. Actually the nurse didn't listen to her anymore.

"Ouch." She moaned.

The nurse looked at her quizzically.

"My head started to hurt." The nurse sighed and stood up. "I'm going to bring you some medicines."

When she opened the door, Sarah saw a pretty hall behind them. "This cannot be a hospital. It's too beautiful and expensive." She whispered to herself.

Then the nurse came back – was she a nurse? Or just someone...She throws something on Sarah's bed. "Here are your medicines." An evil smile came on her face.

"You are not a real nurse." Said Sarah confidently. "Sure I am" she said.

"But I saw a hall behind these doors. It doesn't look like a hospital, except this room."

Sarah looked at her very scared. The nurse didn't say anything so she continued. "Do my parents know that I'm here?" she asked quietly.

The nurse was quiet again, and Sarah knew, the answer: "No. No they don't"

"I have to go home. Immediately."

"You can't just leave the hospital"

"Stop saying hospital to this...building. Just let me go home"

The woman – she wasn't a nurse anymore – threw her cap on a floor and screamed: "Yes! You have right, I'm not a nurse. And this isn't a hospital, but my home. I kidnapped you."

She said that very calmly and she wasn't even nervous.

"And you just told me all this? I mean isn't this dangerous for..." "Look. I'm going to kill you anyway so there is nothing wrong that I told you this." She shrugged with her shoulders, and Sarah just stared at her.

"But why are you going to kill me? I didn't do anything to you."

"Pha. It's true. You didn't do anything bad to me. But I can't say this for daughter?"

"Oh. You are saying that I did something to your daughter. Well I have a news for you. I don't know who is your child. This is pointless."

"No it's not." "Sure it is. Can you please tell me what did I do to her?"

"You know that very well Sarah." "I'm not going to take this medicines"

"No one asked you if you want to take it. Just take them and shut up."

"No I won't." "I have enough of this." Said a woman and ran through the doors. "Great!" Screamed Sarah when she left the room." Me too. But I have enough of you, not just of all this. Some tears showed up in her eyes. "I'm not going to give up. I will go home. Soon." She looked out of a window. "Hmm...climbing with a broken foot. Well, if this is my only chance..."

She stood up quietly and a sun shined on her face.

Luckily, there was a tree not far from the window. Her hand reached a branch and quickly, she held it.

"What can I do now?", she wondered.

Slowly, she caught the trunk between her legs and slid down the tree. When her broken foot touched the ground, she muffled a cry. She raised her head and strangely enough she regretted having to leave this beautiful place. It was in the country, there were not any houses ten miles

around. Behind her, there was her prison, a big house with two floors. The garden was filled with flowers and she thought there were probably other people there so she began running as fast as she could.

“I must hide in the woods if I don’t want them to catch me”, she murmured.

She turned right and started running into the forest. It was quite lightened, so she could see where she was going. She did not know at all what time it could be but she was very hungry and thirsty. She thought the nearest town was in this direction. She had left the house only for five minutes when she heard a scary cry.

“Oh my god! I need some help!”, she whispered.

The woods were getting darker and her broken leg hurt but she kept running.

It is only when she was sure nobody followed her that she stopped. She sat on the ground and looked around her. Scrubs were replaced by firs and she suddenly remembered that she could find mushrooms under those trees. She walked on a few meters and found two or three edible mushrooms. After this, she concentrated and heard the sound of a brook but she probably had to walk another half hour to find it.

She was exhausted so she lay alongside the brook after drinking some water. But she could not find sleep. She was thinking about what the nurse had told her.

“Who is her daughter? And what did I do to her? I have never seen this woman before and she accuses me of having done something to her daughter! She is crazy!”

She could not think clearly because of the cold. It was dark in the woods and it was probably late now. She was really scared, and for the first time since she had left the nurse’s house, tears began to flow from her eyes. She did not know how to make a fire and there were probably some wild animals in this forest. She curled herself up and put her head in her arms. She was thinking of what could have happened if she had stayed in this big house in the forest when she heard a noise...

The noise came from a jeep. Sarah tried to run away, but it hurt too much in her leg. She struggled with her leg and tried to find a place to hide but she couldn’t and the jeep came closer. In the last minute Sarah saw a stump behind which she hid. She rolled over to the stump and curled herself up. The jeep drove away from her. Sarah was relieved. She walked down to the brook again. It became darker but Sarah couldn’t sleep, she was thinking too much about what the nurse had told her about her daughter. Sarah tried to think about the last two years but it was too painful. She could only remember the bad memories from her old life and the bad thoughts began to flow in her head.

The memory about her sister’s disappearance haunted her. It happened two years ago but Sarah still remembered it like it had happened yesterday. It was then when her life started to fall apart. Sarah’s sister’s disappearance is a mystery; no one knows what happened to her. The last thing that the police know about Sarah’s sister is that she was heading for one of her friends but she never arrived there. After that people started a rumor that Sarah and her sister’s friend could have something to do with her sister’s disappearance. Whatever people thought about her, the police couldn’t condemn her because they didn’t have any evidence. People had started a hate group towards Sarah and her family. They had to move from their hometown to another town hoping for a better life.

Her life had been a disaster for the last two years. She moved from the west coast to the east coast. She thought that everything would be better if she just forgot everything from the past and started to build a new life in a new place and just pretended that she was a normal girl who lived a normal life, but she was wrong. Tears started to fall from Sarah's eyes. She couldn't think anymore about her past, it made her feel sad. She felt even sadder when she remembered that she was sitting alone in the forest without anything. Sarah lay down and tried to sleep. She closed her eyes and then she suddenly came to think about something, but it couldn't be possible...

She thought about the option, that the woman could be from her old town. "No that is impossible!", thought Sarah. Why should the woman follow her halfway across the country?

After a short time it was too hard for her to think. Her eyes felt heavy, the pain in her leg didn't stop and she was exhausted.

But she could not sleep. "Sarah, be strong! If I fall asleep now, I won't wake up again! It's too cold here!" she spoke to herself. It didn't help. Darkness surrounded her and she fell into deep sleep...

She had wonderful and shining dreams. She walked through a forest. The sun was shining and the birds sang merrily...

To her surprise she woke up on a soft ground. After some moments Sarah opened her eyes and didn't believe what she saw. What had happened? The bed under her was strange and she didn't know the room in which she was. "Could I be back at the crazy woman's house?", asked Sarah herself shocked. But something was different. The room looked not like the first room she was. There were some strange sounds, too. Sarah looked around her and found machines like in a hospital. They displayed her heart rate. Suddenly the door opened. Her heartbeat started to get louder. She felt a bit relieved that not the crazy nurse came into the room, but Sarah still felt frightened. The machine beeped loudly next to her and the man who had entered the room, came quickly to her bed. "Please calm down." said the man with a worried voice. He checked the bandage, which was around her leg. Now she realized that her leg didn't hurt anymore.

"Are you okay? Everyone was so worried."

Sarah didn't know what he meant and what she could answer, because she was so confused. The man looked at Sarah. "Don't be afraid, you are safe here."

She still couldn't say anything. But she absolutely wanted to know how she came into this room. Should she trust him?

"He looks like a doctor. But the crazy woman looked also like a nurse and was nevertheless evil. Damn, what should I do?" thought Sarah nervously. "Your principal is waiting outside. Maybe you prefer talking to her. Can I let her in?" asked the man with a friendly smile.

That surprised her. Maybe everything was fine. Sarah's voice was rough when she answered. "Yes, please."

The man nodded and left the room. After a few seconds her principal entered the room. She looked very relieved when she saw Sarah in her bed. "Oh my dear, what's happened to you?", asked the principal when she took a chair. "We have missed you and looked for you and last night the police found you in the forest. They believe that you had been kidnapped by an insane woman."

Sarah didn't trust her ears. The machine next to her began to beep a bit faster because she was so excited. "I didn't know what she wanted from me. She said that I had something done to her daughter." said Sarah quietly. "Don't worry, she's now in an establishment for mentally ill people... I've already informed your parents. They will be here soon. I'll leave you alone now, okay?"

Sarah nodded.

When she was alone her thoughts were jumping around. She thought about that what she had just found out. "If I've understood everything correctly, the woman had nothing to do with my past. Was it really just a coincidence?"

The memories of her past made her sad. She remembered the time after her sister went lost. It was a really hard and terrible time. But wasn't it time now to let the past go?

As soon as she could get out of the hospital she would start her new life.

And she already knew what she would do first.

After a few days Sarah was better and ready to go home. The principal told her that she could go to her parents house with her car. She showed her the way to the car and opened the door for her. To her surprise there was no one in the car. The principal closed the car's door. Then a stranger quickly got into the car and started the engine. Sarah was confused. 'Hey, who are you?' She asked but there was no answer.

Long after they went to a deserted road. Sarah was really frightened and she began to cry. All the evil found her. They stopped in front of a small wooden house. The man dragged Sarah into the house. She couldn't believe her eyes. There, the nurse was in front of her. How could this be possible?

She was told that she was missing but everything was a lie. Why was she kidnapped again? The driver put Sarah in a room and tied her up.

The room was cold and dark. It smelt very bad. She looked around but couldn't see anything. Then suddenly she heard a noise and the door was opened.

The crazy nurse said "Are you ready for your first murder, Elysa?" Elysa! The name reminded her of her bad memories. Elysa was her sister's name. She didn't respond pushed the door open and light come inside through the door. Sarah blinked several times because she couldn't believe her eyes. In front of her, stood her sister who was kidnapped two years ago. In her right hand, she was holding a big, sharp blade. Sarah heart started beating fast.

"Do you remember me?" I'm sure you do. She looked at her face. She came closer and closer...

Suddenly the door was slumped open and a voice was heard. "Elysa, hurry up cried the women and the nurse left them alone. I'm Sarah, your sister Sarah said but Elysa stood there and stared at her without a respond.